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FM AMEMBASSY TOKYO

TO AMCONSUL HONG KONG

INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 7402

USIA WASHDC

AMEMBASSY BANGKOK

AMEMBASSY MANILA

AMEMBASSY KUALA LUMPUR

AMEMBASSY JAKARTA

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BTRA, EINV

SUBJECT: APCAC MARCH 6-7 MEETING

1. WE UNDERSTAND APCAC AT ITS MARCH 6/7 HONG KONG MEETING INTENDS DEVOTE CONSIDERABLE TIME AREA ATTACKS ON MNCS AND TO SEEKING WAYS COUNTERACT BAD IMAGE. WE HAVE COME ACROSS FEBRUARY 23 COLUMN IN TOKYO SHIMBUN BY SOPHIA UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR KAWATA IN WHICH HE DESCRIBES HONG KONG CONFERENCE HELD LATE NOVEMBER 1975. HE STATES CONFERENCE ON ECONOMIC JUSTICE WAS ATTENDED BY SOME FORTY LABORERS, STUDENTS AND YOUNG RESEARCHERS FROM THAILAND, PHILIPPINES, MALAYSIA, INDONESIA, ROK AND THAT IT FOCUSED ON ACTIVITIES OF AMERICAN, JAPANESE AND EUROPEAN MNCS AND HOW THEY SEEK ECONOMIC DOMINATION AND PLUNDER. KAWATA WRITES THAT CONFEREES CONCLUDED THAT POVERTY OF ASIAN WORKERS AND PEASANTS, SOCIAL INJUSTICE IN ASIA ARE NOT COUNTRY PROBLEMS BUT ASPECTS OF MULTILATERAL SYSTEM

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BASED UPON US AND JAPAN AS INDUSTRIAL NATIONS AT THE

CORE OF SYSTEM OF CONTROL.

2. WE HAVE CALLED ARTICLE TO ATTENTION OF BEEBE, APCAC  
PRESIDENT. IT WOULD BE HELPFUL TO HIM AT APCAC MEETING  
IF HONG KONG COULD GIVE HIM SOME BACKGROUND ON NOVEMBER  
CONFERENCE. BEEBE ARRIVES HONG KONG MARCH 4 AND IS  
AVAILABLE AT SHERATON HOTEL. HOPE YOU CAN GIVE HIM A  
REPORT, EVEN IF NEGATIVE ON MARCH 5.  
SHOESMITH

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